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Status						
1) Responsive to communication(s) filed on <u>09</u>	Responsive to communication(s) filed on <u>09 July 2004</u> .					
2a) ☐ This action is <b>FINAL</b> . 2b) ☐ Th	This action is <b>FINAL</b> . 2b) This action is non-final.					
3) Since this application is in condition for allow	Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is					
closed in accordance with the practice under	Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C	D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.				
Disposition of Claims		,				
4) Claim(s) <u>1-5,8-20,22-29,31-65,67-131,133-1</u>	Claim(s) <u>1-5,8-20,22-29,31-65,67-131,133-135 and 138-168</u> is/are pending in the application.					
4a) Of the above claim(s) 145-151 is/are with	4a) Of the above claim(s) <u>145-151</u> is/are withdrawn from consideration.					
5) Claim(s) <u>1-5,8-20,22-29,31-65,67-131,133-1</u>	Claim(s) <u>1-5,8-20,22-29,31-65,67-131,133-135,138-144 and 152-168</u> is/are allowed.					
6) Claim(s) is/are rejected.	Claim(s) is/are rejected.					
7) Claim(s) is/are objected to.						
8) Claim(s) are subject to restriction and	or election requirement.					
Application Papers						
9) The specification is objected to by the Examiner.						
10)☐ The drawing(s) filed on is/are: a)☐ accepted or b)☐ objected to by the Examiner.						
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11)☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the l	Examiner. Note the attach	ed Office Action or form PTO-152.				
Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119						
12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreignal All b) Some * c) None of:  1. Certified copies of the priority docume 2. Certified copies of the priority docume 3. Copies of the certified copies of the prapplication from the International Bure * See the attached detailed Office action for a list	nts have been received. nts have been received in iority documents have bee eau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).	Application No en received in this National Stage				
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## DETAILED ACTION

1. This application is in condition for allowance except for the following formal matters:

Claims 145-151 are non-elected claims which should be canceled in response to this office action.

Prosecution on the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

A shortened statutory period for reply to this action is set to expire TWO MONTHS from the mailing date of this letter.

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Timothy V Eley whose telephone number is 703-308-1824. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Allan N Shoap can be reached on 703-308-1082. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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